# **Cloud Type and Contrail Type Protocol**

# **Field Guide**

#### Task

To see which of the ten types of clouds and how many of each of the three types of contrails are visible

## What You Need

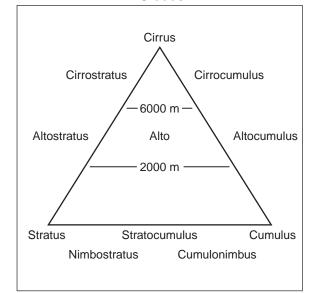
☐ Atmosphere Investigation Data Sheet OR	☐ GLOBE Cloud Chart
Cloud Data Sheet OR	
Ozone Data Sheet OR	
Aerosol Data Sheet	

☐ Observing Cloud Type (in Appendix)

## In the Field

- 1. Look at all the clouds in the sky, look in all directions, including directly overhead. Be careful not to look directly at the sun.
- 2. Identify the types of clouds that you see using the GLOBE cloud chart and the definitions found in *Observing Cloud Type*.
- 3. Check the box on your Data Sheet for each and every cloud type you see.
- 4. There are three types of contrails. Record the number of each type you see.

#### Clouds



#### Contrails



Short-lived



Persistent Non-Spreading



Persistent Spreading